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EUR/CE -- BRUCE A. FLATIN

EUR - WELLS STABLER

S/S-S - MRS. DENHAM

S/S - MR. GAMMON

WHITE HOUSE- MR. HYLAND

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E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: PDEV, SZ,US

SUBJECT: NATIONAL DAY MESSAGE

1. PLEASE DELIVER FOLLOWING TO PRESIDENT BONVIN ON OR BEFORE AUGUST 1. QUOTE AS THE PEOPLE OF SWITZERLAND CELEBRATE THIS ANNIVERSARY OF THE FOUNDING OF THE SWISS CONFEDERATION I AM PLEASED TO CONVEY TO YOUR EXCELLENCY AND TO THE PEOPLE OF SWITZERLAND THE CONGRATULATIONS AND FELICITATIONS OF THE PEOPLE OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA TOGETHER WITH MY OWN PERSONAL GOOD WISHES. I AM CONFIDENT THAT THE CLOSE COOPERATION AND FRIENDSHIP WHICH HAVE CHARACTERIZED THE RELATIONSHIP BETWEEN OUR TWO COUNTRIES IN THE PAST WILL CONTINUE TO PROSPER IN THE YEARS AHEAD. RICHARD NIXON UNQUOTE

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2. WHITE HOUSE DOES NOT PLAN RELEASE BUT HAS NO OBJECTION

TO RELEASE BY GOS. RUSH

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